

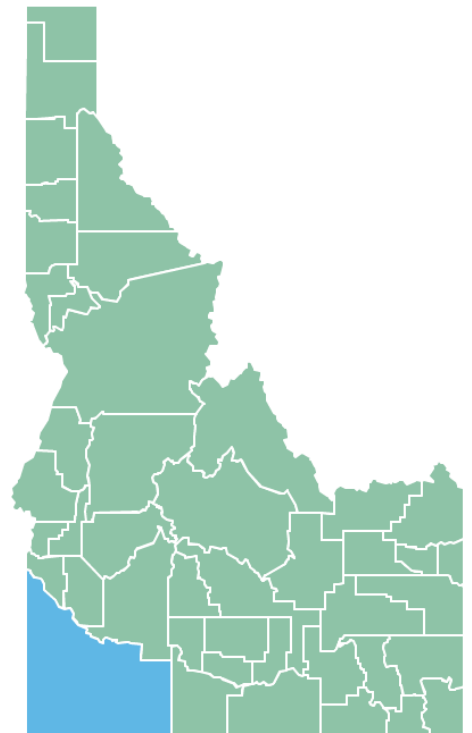


# Owyhee County Labor Force And Economic Profile

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## Owyhee County Economic Overview

Civilian Labor Force (Dec 2021)	5,657
Unemployment Rate (Dec 2021)	1.9%
Population (2020)	12,133
Median Household Income (2019)	\$43,798
Per Capita Personal Income (2020)	\$42,616
Poverty Rate (2019)	16.1%



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## 1. County Demographic Characteristics, 2019

	Owyhee County	Owyhee County (%)	State of Idaho (%)	United States (%)
<b>Total Population</b>	11,552	100.0%	1,717,750	324,697,795
<b>Race and Ethnicity</b>				
White alone, not hispanic	7,913	68.5%	82.0%	60.7%
Black or African American alone, not hispanic	61	0.5%	0.7%	12.3%
Native American alone, not hispanic	318	2.8%	1.1%	0.7%
Asian alone, not hispanic	13	0.1%	1.3%	5.5%
Hispanic, or Latino (of any race)	3,031	26.2%	12.5%	18.0%
<b>Gender</b>				
Male	5,952	51.5%	50.1%	49.2%
Female	5,600	48.5%	49.9%	50.8%
<b>Age</b>				
Median age	38.9	-	40.3	38.1
Under 18 years	3,022	26.2%	25.7%	22.6%
Over 18 years	8,530	73.8%	74.3%	77.4%
21 years and over	7,541	65.3%	64.9%	67.9%
Over 65 years	2,074	18.0%	15.4%	15.6%
<b>Educational Attainment (Population 25 years and Over)</b>				
Less than 9th grade	817	7.1%	2.2%	3.5%
High school graduate (with equivalencies)	2,515	21.8%	17.8%	18.3%
Some college, no degree	1,721	14.9%	16.9%	13.9%
Associate's degree	601	5.2%	6.4%	5.8%
Bachelor's degree	682	5.9%	12.1%	13.4%
Graduate or professional degree	223	1.9%	5.8%	8.4%
<b>Median Household Income</b>	\$43,798	-	\$56,605	\$62,843

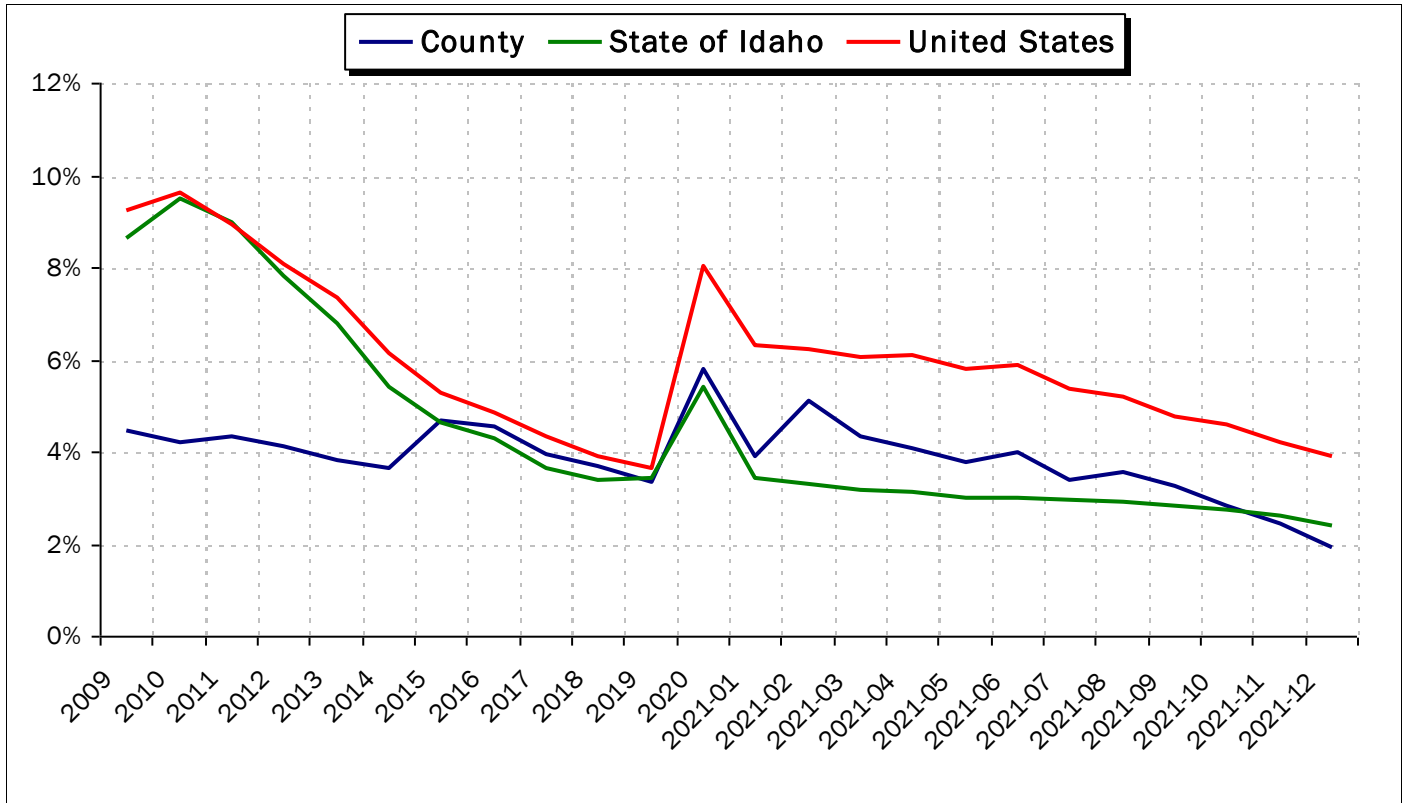
Source: US Census Bureau, American Community Survey 2019 5-Year Estimates

## 2. Labor Force

	Labor Force	Employment	Unemployed	Unemployment Rate
<b>December 2021</b>	5,657	5,547	110	1.9%
<b>December 2020</b>	5,520	5,225	295	5.3%

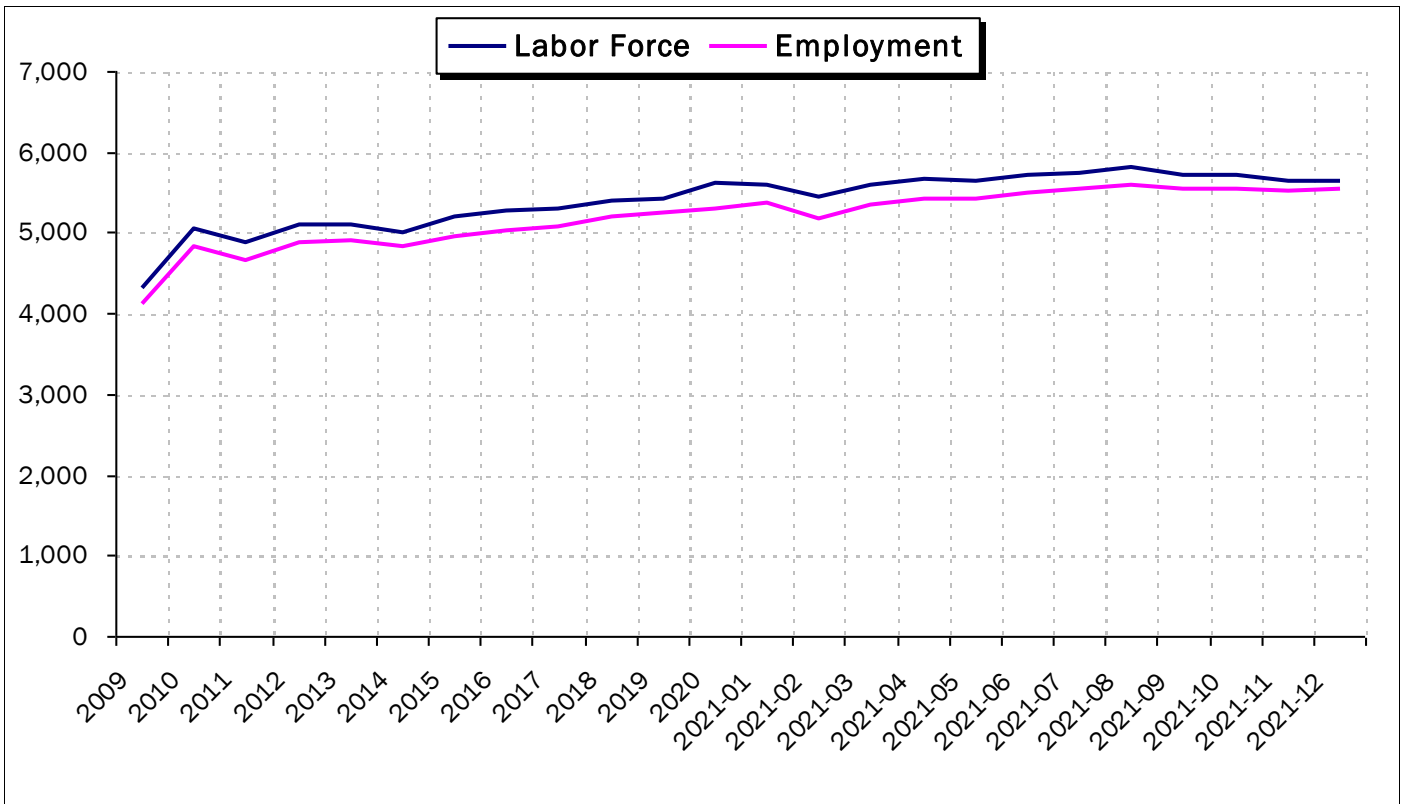
Source: Idaho Department of Labor

### 3. Seasonally-Adjusted Unemployment Rate, 2009 - Current



Source: Idaho Department of Labor

### 4. Seasonally-Adjusted Labor Force and Employment, 2009 - Current



Source: Idaho Department of Labor

## 5. Industry Employment and Wages - 2010, 2019 and 2020

Supersector	2010		2019		2020	
	Average Employment	Average Wages	Average Employment	Average Wages	Average Employment	Average Wages
Total Covered Wages	3,062	\$25,104	3,154	\$35,302	3,209	\$37,208
Natural Resources and Mining	1,283	\$22,306	1,107	\$36,778	1,138	\$39,037
Construction	114	\$40,367	149	\$34,848	157	\$36,187
Manufacturing	185	\$29,671	162	\$44,808	151	\$48,431
Trade,Transportation, and Utilities	362	\$28,525	483	\$38,914	526	\$39,274
Information	23	\$33,202	25	\$33,510	19	\$26,568
Financial Activities	25	\$26,751	26	\$51,183	29	\$47,689
Professional and Business Services	145	\$37,623	188	\$55,500	190	\$59,465
Education and Health Services	556	\$24,782	570	\$30,033	551	\$33,496
Leisure and Hospitality	146	\$9,177	188	\$12,417	189	\$12,308
Other Services	12	\$17,992	15	\$28,362	13	\$28,646
Public Administration	205	\$27,376	235	\$29,372	239	\$29,220

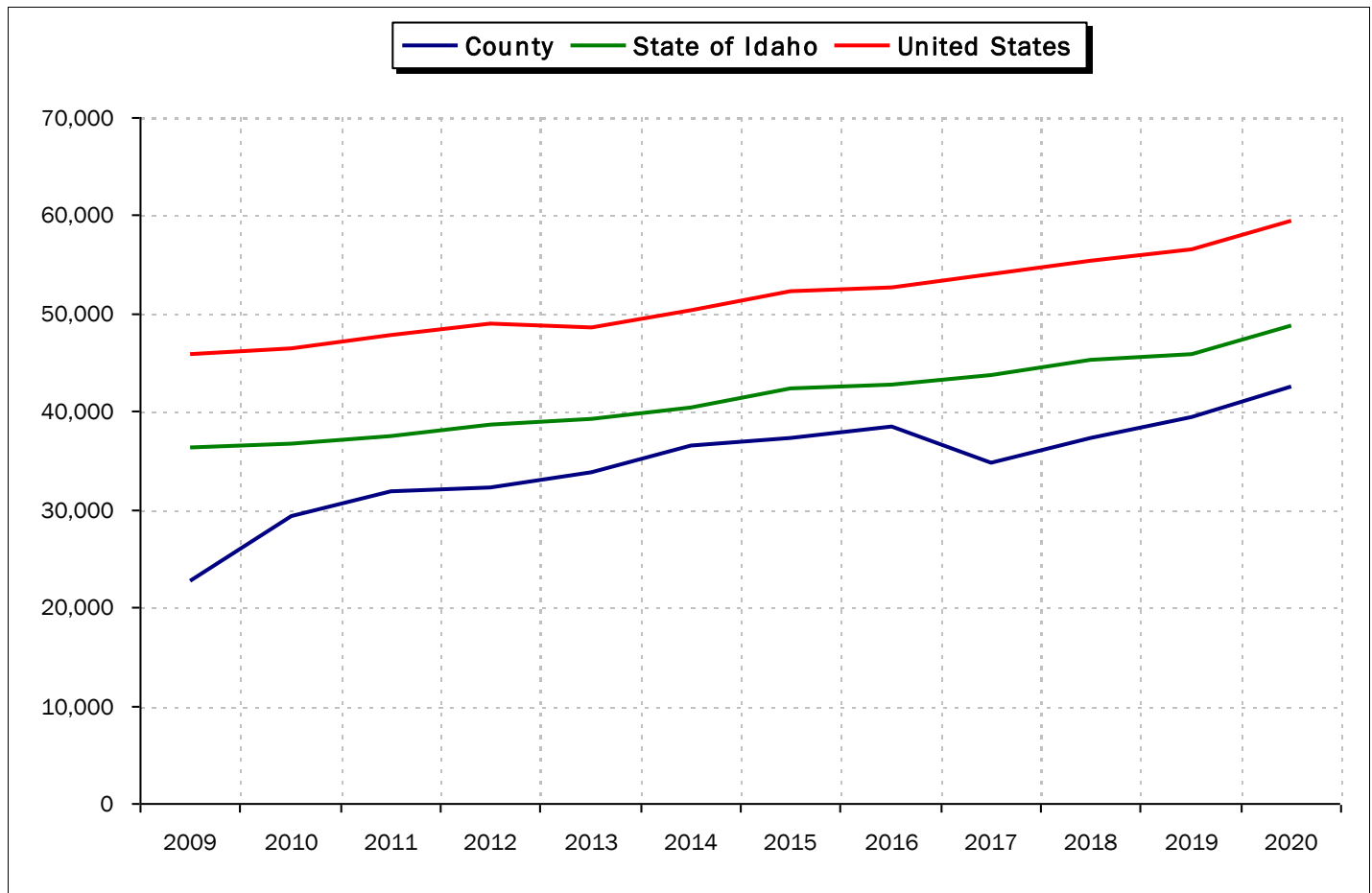
Source: Idaho Department of Labor

## 6. Top Employers, 2020

Employer	Ownership	Range
Marsing Agricultural Labor Sponsoring Committee	Private	250 - 499
J. R. Simplot Company	Private	250 - 499
Homedale Joint School District	Local Gov	100 - 249
Marsing Joint School District	Local Gov	100 - 249
Owyhee County	Local Gov	50 - 99
Owyhee Health & Rehabilitation Center	Private	50 - 99
Albertsons	Private	50 - 99
Bruneau Grandview School District	Local Gov	50 - 99
Us Ecology	Private	50 - 99
Canyon Owyhee School Service Agency	Private	10 - 49

NOTE: Only employers that have given the Department permission to release employment range data are listed. Source: Idaho Department of Labor

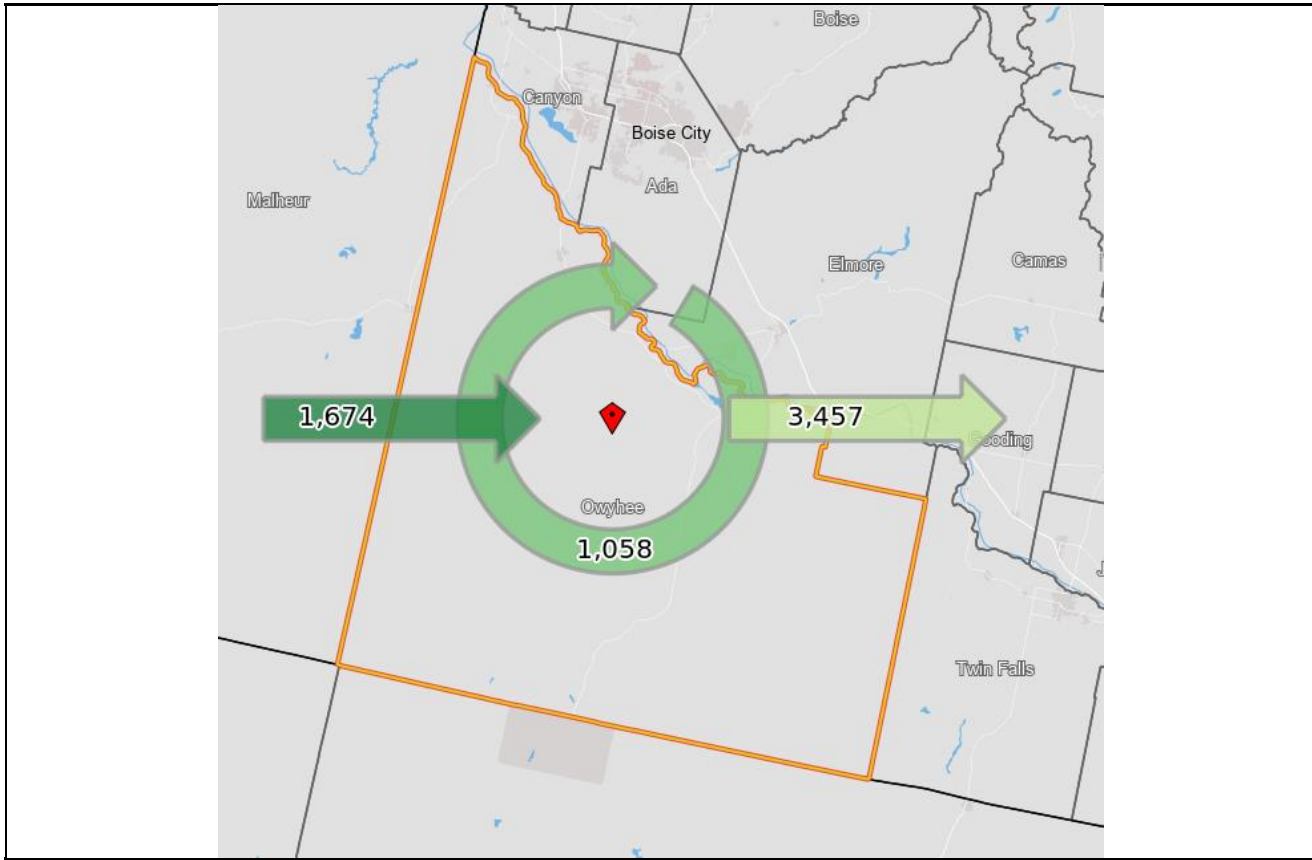
## 7. Real Per Capita Income, 2009 - 2020



Source: U.S. Bureau of Economic Analysis

## 8. Labor Force Commuting Patterns, 2019

It is estimated that 1,058 workers lived and worked in Owyhee County in 2019. Another 1,674 workers were employed in Owyhee County but lived outside, while 3,457 workers commuted to other counties for work.



Source: US Census Bureau

## 9. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Work in Owyhee County Live, 2019

City of Residence	All Jobs	Percentage
Homedale	222	8.1%
Nampa	210	7.7%
Caldwell	206	7.5%
Marsing	107	3.9%
Boise City	102	3.7%
Mountain Home	65	2.4%
Meridian	57	2.1%
Grand View	52	1.9%
Wilder	46	1.7%
Parma	18	0.7%

Note: "All Jobs" includes private and public sector jobs. It also includes a count of workers with multiple jobs. Source: US Census Bureau

**10. Top 10 Cities Where People Who Live in Owyhee County Work, 2019**

City of Employment	All Jobs	Percentage
Boise City	735	16.3%
Nampa	545	12.1%
Caldwell	408	9.0%
Homedale	317	7.0%
Meridian	250	5.5%
Marsing	153	3.4%
Twin Falls	72	1.6%
Grand View	62	1.4%
Murphy	58	1.3%
Mountain Home	56	1.2%

Note: "All Jobs" includes private and public sector jobs. It also includes a count of workers with multiple jobs. Source: US Census Bureau

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